



**WIOA Implementation Taskforce
of the
State Workforce Innovation Council**

**April 21, 2016
2:00p.m. – 4:00.m.**

**Indiana Government Center South, DWD Conference Room 301A
302 West Washington Street, Indianapolis, IN, 46204**

April 21, 2016 Minutes

Call to Order/Roll Call/Welcome and Introductions

Present: Kent Kramer (Chair), Cory Clasemann-Ryan (on behalf of Anne Valentine), Caryl Auslander (by phone), David Tucker, Greg Vollmer, Katy Stafford-Cunningham (by phone), Theresa Koleszar, Lara Pastore, Marie Mackintosh, Paula Pinkstaff (by phone), Randall Holmes, Elaine Hubbard, Robyn Minton (by phone), Jessica Fraser

Absent: Richalene Kozumplik, Robert Moore

Also Present from the Department of Workforce Development: Regina Ashley, Holly Brauneller, Eryn Craven, Chris Deaton, Nataya Austin

Public Comment: None given.

Approval of Minutes, March 31, 2016

March minutes approved. Available at <http://www.in.gov/dwd/2828.htm>

Eligible Training Provider List

Eryn Craven gave an update on the ETPL appeals procedure. Marie Mackintosh, DWD Associate Chief Operating Officer for Education and Training, led a discussion regarding ETPL performance criteria and reapplication time limits. Discussion about time limits included comments made regarding the six month re-application time limit for denial of eligibility or failure to meet performance criteria and how this may be too long. Suggestions were given for a 30-90 day period for denial of eligibility. Everyone agreed on the 2 year limit for the substantial WIOA violations and supplying inaccurate information. There were mixed comments on the 6 month waiting period for failure to meet performance criteria. Concerns were expressed regarding the definition of completion and the difference between completion of WIOA participants and other participants.



State and Local Plan updates

Regina Ashley, DWD Chief Strategy Officer, provided an update on the State Plan and provided an overview of local plan requirements. Ms. Ashley also updated the taskforce on new regulations and federal policy that is expected in the coming months. Theresa Kolezar, Director at the Bureau of Rehabilitation Services, received a few brief follow up questions from DOL regarding the Vocational Rehabilitation section and has since responded.

Local MOUs

Holly Brauneller, DWD Director of Policy, provided an update on the local memorandums of understanding that are required under WIOA.

Adjourned

Next WIOA Implementation Taskforce Meeting:
May 26, 2016
10:00am to 11:30m
Indiana Government Center South, Conference Room 18